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18. (Unclassified - MG) LIAISON Received a call from James H. Thessin, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, who asked the status of his request to receive the "International Energy Biweekly Statistical Review." I told him that we would start sending the publication to Norvill Jones, Chief of Staff, and that I had informed Clara Buchanan, Mr. Jones' secretary, of the arrangements. I told him that we would arrange to have the back issues (since December 1977) sent to him as he requested. I also mentioned to Thessin that the documents had to be returned when they are no longer needed by the Committee.

19. (Unclassified - ELS) LIAISON I called Senator William D. Hathaway's (D., Maine) office to ask if the Director could stop by for a chat at 5:15 p.m. Betty Blackshaw, in the Senator's office, checked and said the Senator was interested in talking to the Director but was leaving before 5:15 p.m. She asked if there was some way the Senator could reach the Director by phone. I said I would see if the Director could call the Senator. [] OLC, was informed.

20. (Unclassified - ELS) THIRD AGENCY [] DIA External Affairs, called to say that [] DIA, should be the point of contact now on the request from Chairman Edward P. Boland (D., Mass.), House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for HUMINT information. [] thinks DIA will have an inventory available for Jim Bush, of the Committee staff, by Tuesday, 9 May.

21. (Unclassified - ELS) HEARING Dick Giza, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, confirmed that the Automatic Data Processing hearings will be principally concerned with multiplicity of Defense systems and who is exercising control over these systems.

22. (Secret - DFM) LIAISON Accompanied Stan Taylor, Abram Shulsky, Angelo Codevilla, Catherine Essoyan and Tom Crowley, all Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staffers, to a meeting with DDO representatives on the Italian Red Brigades. [] DC/EUR, [] and [] EUR, briefed the staff members. Don Gregg, SA/DO/O, and [] O/SA/DO/O, also attended. The meeting had been requested by Taylor to clear up confusion among the staff about whether the Red Brigades had international Communist backing.

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